

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of  
**MICHAELIS, et al.**

Examiner: B. Kwon

Art Unit: 1614

Application No.: 10/642,974

Filed: August 18, 2003

Title: **USE OF I $\kappa$ B-KINASE INHIBITORS IN  
PAIN THERAPY**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**Response to Non-Responsive Election of Species Requirement**

Dear Sir:

In response to a Non- Responsive Election of Species Requirement mailed on July 7, 2007, Applicants hereby file the present response electing a specific disease. Applicants also concurrently file a request for a two (2) – month extension of time.

**Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.**